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OUTLINES.

President Roosevelt yesterday transmitted to Congress the report of the board of consulting engineers on the Panama aCnal, along with Secretary Taft's letter recommending a lock canal as favored by a minority of the engineers; President Roosevelt concurs as to a lock canal, and points out that the Soo Canal is a lock and carries greater traffic than the Suez canal ——In the Senate yesterday, Tillman introduced a bill to prohibit money contributions in elections, saying he believed he could show some specimens of corruption in contributions in the last Presidential campaign; a petion against Senator Reed Smoot, the Mormon, was presented from thousands of women in California and Colorado; the House passed a bill prohibiting gambling in any of the Territories of the United States——While fighting to save her honor, a school girl was shot and killed yesterday afternoon by a negro near Shreveport, La.; a mob of 1,000 men surrounds the jail to lynch the brute——Representative Longworth and his White House bride are en route to Jacksonville; at Alexandria, Va., yesterday a little girl got their autographs ——In Roanoke, Va., early yesterday morning, Ex-Sheriff John B. Traynham was assassinated with an axe by some one who got into his room——Seven witnesses from Texas are in New York testifying in the appeal of Albert T. Patrick who has made such desperate efforts to keep from being executed for the murder of Millionaire Rice—— New York markets: Money on call steady, 3 to 5 per cent., ruling rate 4 to 4 1-4; closing bid 3, offered at 4; spot cotton 15 points lower, closing quiet at 11.10; flour dull and a shade lower; wheat steady; No. 2 red, 83 3-4 elevator; corn steady; No. 2, 48 elevator; oats steady, mixed, 34 3-4; turpentine firm, 72 to 73; rosin strong, strained common to good, 4.35.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Feb. 19, 1906.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Monday, Feb. 19th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 39 degrees; 8 P. M., 52 degrees; Maximum, 65 degrees; Minimum 39 degrees; Mean, 52 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of month to date, 2.63.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Sunday 10.2 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday. Wednesday, increasing cloudiness; variable winds becoming southeast and fresh.

PORT ALMANAC—Feb. 20.

Sun Rises .....6:44 A. M.
Sun Sets .....5:45 P. M.
Day's Length .....10 hrs. 56 min.
High Water at Southport..6:28 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington..8:58 P. M

Publicity and corruption do not go hand in hand.

People in Washington acted on Saturday like they never saw a wedding before.

A woman won't give her age away and doesn't believe that her age will give her away.

The Dominican treaty seems to be dead. Looks like even its dry bones will not even be rattled in the Senate for some time.

Editor W. F. Marshall, of the Gastonia Gazette, is making charges against the board of aldermen for wrong doing. Some editors are not satisfied till they get their town in the city class.

Lexington has organized a board of trade with seventy-five members. Editor H. B. Varner, of the Lexington Dispatch, is president, and that means that the board will do things for Lexington.

A New York paper declares that the word "graft" is of street coinage and cannot be used in connection with official corruption. Well, there's skin grafting that the doctors do when they skin somebody to graft it on to somebody else, and when the government is skinned for the benefit of somebody else it is just another application of the grafting process.

John Temple Graves resigned as editor of the Atlanta Evening News, but he is not at all resigned. He is publishing in the Atlanta Constitution a whole page prospectus of the Daily Evening Georgian, the publication of which he announced that he will soon begin in Atlanta. It is reported that William Randolph Hearst is Mr. Graves' backer.

The second volume of "Biographical History of North Carolina," edited by Capt. S. A. Ashe, of Raleigh and published by Mr. Charles L. VanNoppen, of Greensboro, has come from the press. It contains protogravures and sketches of many prominent Carolinians, including Hon. Junius Davis, of Wilmington, Gen. J. S. Carr, of Durham, and others. It is a 500 page book.

Wilmington may as well keep its eye on the Carolina and Northwestern Railroad which is extending its line from Lenior, N. C., across the mountains to Bristol or Johnson City, Tennessee. The line is already in operation beyond Collettsville which is beyond Lenior, probably twenty miles. Here is another prospective western connection for Wilmington, as this road crosses the Seaboard Air Line at Gastonia.

Quit wishing for a good job—let a want-ad. help you find one!

LOCAL 1

—Wm. D. Polite, the own colored head waiter at The has opened a restaurant in the nt of the building on Princess just under the Clarendon Wat rks offcc.

—It is stated that Mr. T H. Wright has in view the building of a modern apartment house on the property recently purchased by him at southwest corner of Fifth and Market streets.

—Fayetteville Observer: "The Fayetteville Electrical Supply Co. have sold to Mr. A. E. Martin the electrical apparatus for the new steamer, 'C. W. Lyon,' which will be wired for 65 lights by Mr. H. E. Dupre, of this city."

—"How I Became a Christian" was the subject of a most interesting address by the Rev. Z. Hinorah, of Japan, at the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon. The attendance was unusually large and the meeting very helpful.

—The Board of Audit and Finance of the city will meet in regular semi-monthly session to-night at 8 o'clock. Capt. T. D. Meares, the clerk, who went to Columbia to attend the big meeting of Pythians in South Carolina, will return this afternoon.

—Linden Grove No. 2., United Ancient Order of Druids is making elaborate arrangements for the celebration of its twelfth anniversary on Wednesday night of next week. An oyster roast at Wrightsville Sound will be one of the features of the celebration.

—Dr. McClure delivered a splendid address Sunday afternoon at the meeting for men at the Boys' Brigade armory. Mr. F. C. West contributed a solo to the musical numbers for the afternoon. Mr. H. L. Durant, who is in charge of the work at the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, will speak next Sabbath afternoon.

—In Justice Furlong's court yesterday John Brown, colored driver of a Southern Express Company delivery wagon, was found not guilty of wilful damage to personal property in accidentally running into a hack belonging to A. H. Lamb, also colored. Justice Furlong held that the collision was purely an accident, and the question of damages was left to Lamb and Brown to settle between themselves.

—J. F. Mosely was granted a permit yesterday to build a 5-room residence on Sixth, between Bladen and Brunswick streets, the same to cost $400.

—Chief of Police Williams went to Salisbury yesterday to attend the State Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, as a representative from George Washington Council, of this city. During his absence, Captain George Smith is acting as chief and Sergeant C. W. Woolard is acting captain in "Chief" Smith's place.

MARITIME MISCELLANY.

Schooner With Cargo; Another In Distress—Steamer Frostburg.

The schooner Joel Cook, 319 tons, Capt. Walker, arrived Sunday night from Carteret, N. J., with cargo of fertilizers which she is discharging at the new warehouse of the Seaboard Air Line for the Pocomoke Guano Company.

The schooner Nellie Floyd, Capt. Nielsen, lumber laden from Georgetown, S. C., to New York, arrived Sunday night and is at Skinner's marine railway for repairs. The Floyd while anchored off Hatteras during the recent storm, lost both anchors, chains and broke her windlass. She was obliged to run to the south and put in here as the nearest port for repairs. The schooner is also short of provisions which will be supplied here. The vessel is consigned to Heide & Co.

The steamer Frostburg, Capt. Robinson, of the Baltimore & Carolina Steamship Company, will complete discharging cargo at the upper compress this morning and hopes to sail for Georgetown, S. C., at 10 o'clock this morning. Capt. Robinson says as this is the first trip of the steamer over the new line, he is unable to state about what time the ship will be back on her second trip. Within a short time it is hoped to have all arrangements made for a Wilmington agent and a landing wharf. Then an effort will be made to secure for the steamer a miscellaneous cargo of freight for Wilmington merchants generally.

COAST LINE IMPROVEMENTS.

Florence Sees New Depot in Sight—New Stock Issue.

The Florence Times of Saturday says that at the meeting of Atlantic Coast Line directors in New York Thursday an appropriation for a new depot at that point was made. Maj. Lucas, of Society Hill, one of the members of the board, is quoted by the Times as saying that the entire new issue of ten millions of stock is to be voted upon by a meeting of the stockholders in Richmond, March 8th, and that it is to be used for improvements all over the system. The Times says there will be purchased "new rolling stock, new heavy steel rails and five handsome new Pullman cars. The increase in equipment will amount almost to doubling the equipment of the road as it now stands and the business that is offered will require it every bit to keep things moving."

THE NEW BOX FACTORY.

Valuable Property to be Graded For Big Enterprise.

It was announced recently that Messrs. Hannah & Co., would very greatly enlarge their box factory interests in this city. The firm has recently purchased from the King estate two acres of land lying in the apex of the triangle formed by the intersection of the W. & W. and Newbern railroad tracks about three blocks east of the present factory and this will be used as a site for an entirely new factory that will be built as soon as possible. Capt. E. G. Parmele has been given the contract for grading the site for the new factory and the work will begin at once. It is understood that $600 was paid for the two acres of land at the intersection of the railway tracks mentioned which will give the new enterprise unsurpassed shipping facilities.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. T. Burke—Wedding Presents.
John D. Bellamy—Foreclosure Sale.
Robert Portner Brewing Co.—Bock Beer.
Wilmington Lodge, A. F. & A. M.—Meeting.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

J. E. Sharp—Brick Burner Wanted.

GOVERNOR SPEAKS

Declares Himself For State Prohibition But Would Not Commit The Party

IN THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Notable Speech by North Carolina's Chief Executive Last Night Under Auspices of W. C. T. U.—Very Large Crowd Heard Him.

Governor R. B. Glenn addressed a very large audience last night in the Academy of Music under the auspices of the local Woman's Christian Temperance Union. The audience was about evenly divided between ladies and gentlemen and the distinguished visitor was listened to with rapt and enthusiastic attention. His subject was "Temperance" and the Governor's discourse was a strong, earnest presentation of that cause. He declared himself personally for State prohibition, but took occasion before his speech was completed to say that in thus declaring himself he did not commit the Democratic party to this issue—that was a question for the convention; neither would he commit the Anti-Saloon League to that issue, nor the Legislature—that was their business; he was speaking only for "Bob Glenn." He conceived such a declaration to be his sworn duty and would preach the doctrine from the hill-top and in the dale.

The stage of the Academy was very tastefully decorated with palms and smilax. Excellent music was discoursed by Hollowbush's Orchestra. As the Governor and party came on the stage, the orchestra played "Carolina" and the distinguished chief executive's approach was the signal for continued applause. Seated on the stage with him were his host, Mr. W. B. Cooper, Mr. George Rountree, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church; Rev. R. W. Hogue, rector of St. James' parish; Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor of Bladen Street M. E. church; Rev. M. J. Duryea, pastor of Market Street church; Rev. Joseph P. King, pastor of the Second Advent church; Dr. D. W. Bulluck, Capt. Wm. F. Robertson, Mr. Jno. F. Garrell, Mr. R. G. Grady, Mr. W M. Cumming, Mr. E. L. Prince and others.

The exercises were opened with prayer by Dr. Wells, The Governor was introduced by Mr. Rountree, who said that he was happy indeed to have the opportunity of presenting so able a man to speak to a Wilmington audience. The Governor had been criticised in the newspapers from time to time for his much speaking, but it must be conceded, Mr. Rountree said, that he always talked sense and his voice was always uplifted in what makes for order, progress, justice and civic righteousness. He took great pleasure in presenting "Wilmington's favorite orator," the Hon. R. B. Glenn.

The Governor began his address by saying that he had been asked what was the object of his visit to Wilmington. Had he been brought here to inaugurate a prohibition campaign or a campaign for a dispensary? He said that the inquirer would have to ask the good women at whose bidding he came, together with the written request of some one hundred or more business men. He was simply present at the bidding of those women to speak a word in favor of temperance. He had read criticisms in the newspapers that he had just started on this work of temperance and opposition to the liquor evil. The facts were contrary to the criticisms. As early as 1881 in the Legislature of the State, he voted to submit the question of prohibition to the people of North Carolina and in August of the same year, in Stokes county, cast his first vote for prohibition. In 1889 he led the forces for a dispensary as the lesser of two evils in the fight for temperance. Those facts did not look like he was a recent convert. It had also been suggested to him since he came to Wilmington that he had been elected not by the temperance people of the State, but by all the people. He granted as much, but would not concede that he had no right to take part in this important issue. He took it he was elected and sworn to do what he thought was best for the people of the State. People differed on immigration, on education and other questions upon which he had views and expressed them. Why should he be not allowed to take sides upon a question which was of far more importance. Must he, forsooth because he is Governor, remain neutral upon these important questions? If such be the case, then the people may call for his resignation, he said, and they will have it. He had respect for honest differences of opinion and there should be toleration on all sides. He stood for State prohibition and had the courage to proclaim it. He had been asked why every locality should not be allowed to settle these questions for themselves. He charged that localities would not let prohibition territory alone and as evidence of the fact, exhibited an advertisement of a Wilmington liquor merchant bidding for express business in outside territory. The question of allowing every locality to settle its own affairs looked plausible, but why did not those who were preaching the doctrine, practice it.

The Governor frankly admitted that he hadn't always been a teetotler, but thanked God that now he is and that another drop will never pass his lips. He charged that 60 per cent. of the convicts in the penitentiary were there as the direct or indirect result of intemperance; 60 per cent. of the inmates of the State asylums were there for a similar cause; one-half of the old soldiers in the Home at Raleigh might trace their destitution to the effects of drink, while 80 per cent. of the inmates of the County homes in the State might trace their poverty to intemperance.

The tax rate in Wilmington was placed in comparison with that of some of the smaller cities which have prohibition, notably Charlotte and Newbern, and an effort was made to show that the taxes derived from liquor were not essential to the maintenance of government. He said in answer to the argument that "prohibition doesn't prohibit" that it does prohibit where there was enforcement of the law. Give him a chance at enforcement of the law and he would either get in the penitentiary himself or have everybody else there. His close was a request for the newspapers of Wilmington and the State to give them their support instead of their abuse and criticism and he asked all to pray for him in his efforts making to the upbuilding of North Carolina agriculturally, industrially, educationally and morally.

After his address, many went forward to speak to the Governor and express to him their pleasure at his address.

Governor Glenn arrived in the city on the noon train from Newbern yesterday where he spoke in the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Yesterday afternoon he was the guest of Mr. Cooper and a party of friends for a trolley trip to Wrightsville beach and an oyster roast at that famous resort. The party went down on a special car of the Consolidated Company at 3 o'clock and returned about 6 o'clock. Lunch was served at the beach by Mrs. W. H. Northrop and several of the party made brief talks expressing appreciation of the Governor's visit to Wilmington. Upon the arrival of the Newbern train Governor Glenn was met by a committee composed of Mr. Cooper, Mr. James Sprunt, Mr. H. C. McQueen, Maj. E. W. VanC. Lucas and others. During his stay in the city the Governor is being entertained at the home of Mr. Cooper, on Fifth street. He will leave this morning, returning to Raleigh.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

Delightful Social Afternoon in Connection With Regular Meeting of Cape Fear Chapter.

The social feature predominated at yesterday afternoon's regular monthly meeting of Cape Fear Chapter, United Daughter of the Confederacy, which was held in the Wilmington Light Infantry armory. The innovation was proposed and adopted as an experiment at the January meeting. So delightful was the success of the social side of the session yesterday, both in the pleasure afforded to members and the large number of them attracted by the departure from the regular routine, that it has been decided to continue the social custom once each three months indefinitely.

More than sixty members attended the meeting yesterday afternoon. The business session over, the Daughters were invited by the Social Committee from the assembly room across the passage way to the reading room of the armory which had been beautifully decorated in blue and white, the colors of the Chapter, the scheme being prettily carried out in Confederate flags, colored candles, Southern smilax, palms ferns, etc. Mrs. Geo. G. Thomas presided at the tea table and the assistants in general charge of the entertainment were members of the committee as follows: Mrs. F. E. Owen, chairman; Mrs. J. Wallace Carmichael, Mrs. F. L. Huggins, Misses Julia Parsley, Bessie Gore, Ida Brown, Jane Meares, Louise Bunting, Eliza Metts, Jeanie Peck, and Mary Calder.

During the afternoon a well arranged programme of musical numbers were charmingly rendered as follows:

"Dixie," by Mrs. F. A. Lord.
Solo, by Mrs. E. K. Bryan.
"The Sword of Robert E. Lee," a recitation by Master Stone Pulliam.
Solo, by Mrs. Cameron F. MacRae.
Violin Solo, "Sewanee River," by Master Fred Hale.

The accompaniments for the musical numbers were delightfully played by Miss Ida Brown. A pleasing feature was a brief address by Mrs. Kate De-Rosset Meares, giving an interesting review of what the women of Wilmington did during the latter part of the great Civil War. Mrs. Meares was listened to with enthusiastic attention and was applauded warmly by her hearers. Socially the affair was a delightful success and the ladies were grateful indeed to the committee for so pleasant an afternoon.

DR. THOMAS HILL DEAD.

Well Known Physician of Goldsboro Passed Away Sunday.

Dr. Thomas Hill, of Goldsboro, died Sunday night about 8 o'clock rather suddenly; aged about 73 years. Dr. Hill was a son of the lamented Dr. Jno. Hamden Hill, of New Hanover, and was descended from the Yeomans family of South Carolina. He was a graduate of the University of North Carolina and of the Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia. For many years and until the time of his death, he was a successful practitioner in Goldsboro and during the Civil War was surgeon in charge of the post hospital at Smithville, now Southport, serving there until the surrender. He was married in 1858 to Miss Minnie McConnelhay, of Salisbury, who survives him with three sons and two daughters, all of Goldsboro, except Mr. James Hill, with the Standard Oil Co., in Baltimore, and Mr. T. H. Hill, in New York State. Dr. Hill is a brother of Dr. John H. Hill, of Goldsboro, and has a large number of relatives in Wilmington. The funeral will probably be conducted in Goldsboro today. The news of the death of Dr. Hill was received in a telephone message to Mr. T. O. Bunting Sunday night and was received with sincere sorrow by many friends and relatives here.

Young Man's Sad Death.

Mr. Alex. W. McAllister a well known young man of this city and up to his last illness a baggage master on the A. C. L. between Wilmington and Norfolk, passed away at his home in this city Sunday night after an illness of some time with gastritis and complications. Mr. McAllister was 28 years of age and had lived in this city for several years, having come from the home of his parents at Rocky Point. Only last September he married Miss Formyduval, of Cronly, and they had just begun life's journey together when death came to separate them. Mr. McAllister is survived by the young wife, his father and mother and several brothers and sisters. The remains were taken to Rocky Point for interment yesterday morning. Rev. Fred. D. Hale, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, of this city, accompanied the party and conducted the funeral services. The interment was in the family burying ground in Pender county.

Mr. Everett Wood Dead.

Mr. Everett T. Wood, a well known citizen of Pender county and the venerable father of Mr. John E. Wood, manager of the Postal Telegraph Company of this city, passed away at his home at Rocky Point yesterday morning, in the 81st year of his age. Mr. Wood had been in poor health for some time and while the death was not unexpected, it came as a sad blow to the family and friends. The funeral will be conducted from the home of the deceased in Pender county this morning at 11 o'clock.

MANY BEFORE MAYOR

Police Court Docket Heavy Yesterday at Noon as Usual on Mondays.

SEVERAL TO THE ROADS

General Holley's Arrest Not Important—Old Colored Woman who Took Possession of New House and Refused to Vacate.

The municipal court yesterday, as is usual on Monday, presented a number of interesting cases for the consideration of His Honor, the Mayor.

The arrest of General Holley, a negro lately employed at the Willard bag factory, was regarded as important Saturday night as he had on his person at the time a large amount of clothing, overalls, etc., but the "General" was able to satisfy the Mayor that he was in legitimate possession of the plunder and had not stolen it. The "General" went home drunk Saturday night and was refused admittance. A policeman was applied to and under his direction the negro was permitted to get his clothes and go elsewhere for the night. It was while going elsewhere that another officer found him with all the clothing and, of course, he was sent in. The "General" was not held for larceny or anything like that, but there was an old charge of assaulting a woman against him at the police station and upon that charge he was fined $10 and costs. He could'nt pay and he went to the roads.

Henry Taylor, colored, arrested Saturday night by Officer M. P. Newton for an assault was given 30 days on the rock pile.

Lugenia Bacchus, a black denizen of Dross Neck, was sent in by Officer W. M. Harris and was sent on the county farm for 30 days by the Mayor.

Julia Moore, colored, was drunk and disorderly Saturday night at Fourth and Harnett streets. She snatched a hat off Owen Meredith's head and gave it to another negro called "Liverwush," who made off with the top piece. She couldn't restore the hat or pay the cost yesterday and went out to the farm.

M. Jackson, a white man who raised a "rucus" in Johnson's peanut factory, on Dock street, and was sent in by Officer A. D. Smith Saturday night, was fined $5 and costs. Another man who interferred with the officer in making the arrest, ran off and has not been captured.

Wash Williams, arrested by Officer I. F. Huggins for disorderly conduct at Fourth and Harnett streets, was fined $5 and costs.

J. W. Wooley, mate on a schooner in port, was drunk Saturday night and crawled up on Mr. F. L. Mintz's porch in the Southern part of the city. He refused to leave and was arrested by Officer W. C. Moore. He said he was sorry and paid the costs yesterday.

Frank Hamner, arrested for an assault upon Ella Johnson, was not guilty according to admission of the woman, who was required to pay the costs.

Eliza Harris, an old colored woman, perhaps 80 years of age, was sent over to jail for examination by a commission of lunacy. Recently Mr. B. O. Stone built a new house to rent back of the hospital. It had hardly been completed before the old woman, in her demented condition, moved into it from next door without ceremony and refused to vacate it, imagining the house belonged to and was built for her. Mr. Stone sent a men to get her out, but the man was unsuccessful. Then Mr. Stone went himself, but the old woman wouldn't budge even though her son with whom she lived next door tried to persuade her. A policeman was finally called in and the woman was sent down to the station house, Mr. Stone being given possession of his property. The old woman imagines she is wealthy and owns much property about town. One of the vagaries of her disordered mind is that every Friday she receives half a million dollars, the money being brought to her by the ship load.

CAROLINA YACHT CLUB.

Annual Meeting and Election of Officers Last Night.

The annual meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club was held last night in the county court room, a goodly number of members having been in attendance. The most important business transacted was the annual election of officers of the Club which resulted, as follows:

Commodore—J. VanB. Metts.
Fleet Captain—C. W. Worth.
Flag Captain—W. L. Parsley.
Pursur—John B. Peschau.
Governing Board—S. M. Boatwright, E. P. Willard and R. C. DeRosset. Mr. H. J. McMillan, Jr., was elected measurer and Mr. H. McL. Green was chosen marshal. A number of improvements for next season are in contemplation and will be passed upon by the Governing Board as the date for the opening of the beach approaches.

MR. GEORGE W. PRINCE DEAD.

Formerly With Life Insurance Co. of Virginia, in Wilmington.

Many friends in this city yesterday learned through the local offices of the company in this city of the death of Mr. George W. Prince, formerly superintendent of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia in Wilmington. While the death was not entirely unexpected it came as a very sad blow to very many friends for Mr. Prince was held in the very highest esteem here. The news of the death was not accompanied by particulars. Mr. Prince was a fine insurance man and had won promotion after promotion with the company by which he was employed. At the time of his death he was supervisor of one of the largest districts of the company and travelled a great deal.

Greenville Sound Road.

A survey of the proposed road for which Greenville Sound residents petitioned the County Commissioners some time ago, will be made by Capt. Walter G. MacRae to-day and if from the survey, the road is found practicable, it will no doubt be built. Capt. MacRae will go down to Greenville today accompanied by Commissioners Robertson, Divine and Alexander, the committee to whom the matter was referred.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Thos. M. Webb, of Raleigh, is at The Orton.

—Mr. W. B. Swindell, of Greensboro, arrived last night.

—Mr. B. W. Bradford, of Sumter, S. C., arrived last night.

—Dr. S. M. Withers, of Chadbourn, is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. J. F. Harris, of Hamlet, was a guest at The Orton Sunday.

—Mr. A. Davidson, of Charlotte, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Louis Goodman, Esq., has gone to Atlanta on professional business.

—Mrs. B. B. Davenport, of Newbern, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Capt. W. E. Kyle and Mr. C. D. Sedberry, of Fayetteville, arrived last night.

—Mr. C. A. Goldsmith and wife, of Tampa, Fla., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mrs. Peter Arrington, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. Haywood Clark, on Dock street.

—Mr. F. B. Gault, of Lake Waccamaw, N. C., was here yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Mrs. George Francis Jenkins, of Winston-Salem, is the guest of Mrs. Andrew J. Howell, Jr.

—Messrs. J. Levin, r. O. Nourse and E. F. Killian, of Atlanta, were among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Creech and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Horne were among last evening's arrivals at The Orton.

—Messrs W. B. Sheardon and Dallas L. Jones, of Charleston, S. C., were among the guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. H. Mason, one of the clever travelling representatives of the Charlotte Observer publications, was in the city yesterday.

—Col. Wharton J. Green, of Fayetteville, is in the city, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. George B. Elliott, on South Third street.

—Hon. W. H. Stewart, of Rock Hill, S. C., is in the city, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Leroy B. Rogers, on North Fourth street.

—Messrs. F. L. Wilcox of Florence, S. C., and W. E. Dargan, of Darlington, S. C., arrived in the city Sunday and were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Alex. McDowell, of Bladen county, was here yesterday on his way to East Point, Fla., where he will locate to engage in the turpentine business.

—Fayetteville Observer 19th: "Mr. Clifton Rankin, now of Savannah, Ga., spent Sunday with his parents, and goes down to Wilmington this afternoon."

—Mr. John J. Blair, who was called to High Point on account of the critical illness and death of his mother, returned to Wilmington Sunday night. Mr. Blair is receiving expressions of tenderest sympathy from his many friends in this city.

SAINT ANDREW'S NEW ORGAN.

Installation Now Complete—Recital and Dedication This Week.

The handsome new pipe organ recently installed by the congregation of Saint Andrew's Presbyterian church will be used for the first time on a public occasion on Thursday night of this week when Mr. E. H. Munson will give a recital. The congregation and all friends are cordially invited. There will be no admission but those in attendance will be given an opportunin of contributing something toward the cost of the installation of the handsome new instrument. In addition to the recital Mrs. Anne DeRosset Harris will sing a solo and Prof. Jno. F. Kneissel will render a violin solo.

On Sunday night the new organ will be formally dedicated to the service of the church and a most interesting service will mark that occasion. The congregation of the First church will worship with St. Andrew's that evening and the dedicatory sermon will be preached by Dr. Wells. The musical programme which will be quite elaborate will be directed by Mr. Munson and his quartette of male voices will contribute to the numbers on the programme.

AN OBSTREPEROUS GUEST.

Raised Disturbance in Hotel Lobby and Fell to Bornemann.

Justice Bornemann, while seated in his office about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, received word to go post haste to the Bonitz House. Upon arrival there the justice found a gentlemanly appearing man, giving his name as E. L. Weshburn, cursing and swearing in the lobby of the hotel and threatening to shoot Proprietor Bonitz, who had ordered him to leave for his unbecoming conduct. Justice Bornemann commanded the peace and meantime got busy with a warrant. Upon the arrival of Deputy Smith the stranger was placed under arrest and a Smith & Wesson, 38-calibre pistol was taken from his person. Upon trial in Justice Bornemann's court, Weshburn was required to pay the costs for disorderly conduct and was required to deposit cash bond of $25 for his appearance at the next term of Superior Court to answer the charge of carrying a concealed weapon. The money was put up, the stranger got his baggage from the Bonitz House and took his departure.

PURCHASED VALUABLE TRACT.

Mrs. W. H. Shearin Acquires Blossom Property at Castle Haynes.

From deeds filed for record at the Court House yesterday the following real estate transfers appear:

Samuel Blossom and wife to Annie M. Shearin, wife of W. H. Shearin, for $10,000, property in the town of Castle Haynes, containing 388 1-2 acres of land, and lying on the Northeast river and along the line of the W. & W. railroad.

C. P. Merrick and wife to S. M. Jones, for $1 and other considerations, property on east side of Fourth, 99 feet south of Queen street, 33x165 feet in size.

Remains Taken to Southport.

The remains of the late Mrs. Mary A. Burriss, who died Saturday at the home of her daughter in this city, were taken Sunday morning to Southport and laid to rest in the family burying ground there. The pall-bearers from the residence to the boat were Messrs. Newton, R. F. Hall, R. S. Register, I. H. Kirkland, Henry Taylor, and G. A. Davis.

ANNIVERSARY SALE TO CONTINUE ONE WEEK. ANNIVERSARY SALE TO CONTINUE ONE WEEK.

THE C. W. POLVOGT COMP'Y,

1905. "The Store That's Always Busy." 1906.

WE WILL CONTINUE TO HOLD OUR

Anniversary Sale One Week Longer

FEBRUARY 19TH TO 24TH.

To give every one an opportunity to secure real bargains, we shall continue our Anniversray Sale held last week for one week longer. This is done in order to reduce our stock, before the arrival of our New Spring Goods.

Our buyers leave for the Northern markets during this week, and special orders given shall have their careful attention.

DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS ON MONDAY—, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY ON ALL CASH SALES.

SPECIAL HOUR SALES.

ON TUESDAY, FEB. 20TH, FROM 10 to 11 O'CLOCK.

We will place on sale 75 doz. Ladies Extra Fine Hose, put up in boxes bought to sell three (3) pairs for $1.00, special anniversary price for this hour three (3) pair for 69c., limit two (2) boxes to a costumer.

ON THURSDAY, FEB. 22D, FROM 10 to 11 O'CLOCK.

We will sell our regular $1.00 to $1.25 Kid Gloves for Ladies, Gent's and Children; limit two (2) to a customer; Anniversary Sale Price one hour 89c., per pair.

ON SATURDAY, FEB. 24TH, FROM 10 to 11 O'CLOCK.

We will sell 500 Hassocks made of Velvet and Moquet Carpets worth 75c.; Anniversary Sale Price one hour 25c. each; limit two (2) to a customer. feb 18-tf.

SECURITY

THE ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK.

Capital .....$125,000.00 Surplus .....$225,000.00, al. earned

One of the few banks in the United States that pays no interest on any form of deposit—enabling us to keep money on hand without loss, rather than lend on doubtful paper. The Chemical National Bank, New York, is our correspondent. They pay no interest, their stock worth over $4,000 per share. We offer you absolute security.

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STATEHENT OF

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company.

(Condensed from Report to Corporation Commission Jan. 29, 1906).

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$1,531,670.14	Capital	$ 25,000.00
Furniture and fixtures ..	2.00	Profits, less taxes and expenses paid	113,636.31
Real estate	15,660.00	Deposits	1,559,210.72
Cash on hand and due from banks	150,414.89		
Total	$1,697,747.03	Total	$1,697,747.03

J. W. Norwood, President.
H. WALTERS, Vice-President.
C. E. TAYLOR, JR., Cashier.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Just Received
First Car

Portner's
Old German
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Beer.
Try It.
ROBT. PORTNER BREWING CO.
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Wedding Presents

We have many beautiful and attractive things in JEWELRY suitable for Wedding Presents. We carry a large stock of

Diamonds, Watches, Scarf Pins, Brooches, Rings, Knives and Forks and Sterling Silver in Great Variety

Everything usually found in a first-class Jewelry House.

To be absolutely sure that you are getting the worth of your money you must be absolutely sure of the reliability of the Jeweler.

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THE JEWELER. ..27 SO. FRONT ST.
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Washington Bread
Cream Puffs
AT
WARREN'S STEAM BAKERY,
22 North Front St.
Phone 246.
R. F. WARREN, PROPRIETOR,
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WILMINGTON LODGE, No. 319, A. F. & A. M.
Feb. 20, 1906.
Wilmington Lodge, 319, A. F. & A. M. Convenes in Regular Communication this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock.
Visiting brethren cordially invited.
E. NORFLEET, Secretary.
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Here's Pointer for the Thrifty Buyer. Prices to help and quality to satisfy. Look through our stock of HARDWARE.
People who did last week saw things which they did not expect to.
J. W. Murchison & Co.
HARDWARE, TINWARE, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, ETC.
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TIDAL WAVE FLOUR
Unsurpassed the world over as to quality and used only by the best families.
F. E. HASHAGEN CO., Wholesale Only
feb 18-tf.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC!
On Wednesday Evening, Feb 21st,
REV. CHARLES GORDON AMES, D. D.,
pastor of the Church of the Disciples, Miss Amy Bradley's and Mrs. Mary Hemenway's Church.
BOSTON, MASS.,
will preach.
SUBJECT OF DISCOURSE
"RELIGION IN MODERN LIFE."
A cordial welcome is extended to all.
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FRESH NORTH CAROLINA BUCKWHEAT, FINE GRAPE FRUIT, NORTH CAROLINA ROE HERRING, MACKEREL.
We Give Southern Trading Stamps
Crow & Taylor,
GROCERIES.
Phone 1052. 4 Market street.
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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Tuesday Morning, Feb. 20.

THE SOUTH AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

Charlotte wants a western connection by rail and in view of the construction of the South and Western Railroad, the Charlotte Chronicle says:

"There is one important point not to be overlooked in the proposition to bring the South & Western Railroad to Charlotte. It is the matter of freight rates. Always in this freight rate agitation. Lynchburg is pointed to as the town that has the advantage of Charlotte and every other town in this section of the South. The reason it has this advantage is that it has competing lines from the North and West. Charlotte has none. But if Charlotte should get the South & Western, what a difference there would be! The city would be a competing point for freight, just as Lynchburg is, and we would get rates such as Charlotte has never before known. Besides, we would have an almost direct air line railroad to Cincinnati. This road is coming South, beyond any doubt. The only question is, will it tap Spartanburg or Charlotte? If it comes here, the freight problem will be solved and a splendid new passenger line to the West will be opened. Again we say that Mr. Jake Newell's suggestions are worth thinking over."

Our understanding has been that the Seaboard Air Line, or its allies, is building the South and Western and that 2,000 men are at work constructing the road from the coal fields through the mountains of North Carolina. it has heretofore been given out that the new road will tap the Seaboard Air Line at or near Rutherfordton, and in that event it looks like Charlotte will get the benefit of that desired western connection. That is what Wilmington has been depending upon a considerable degree. We have heretofore remarked concerning the importance of this road to Wilmington that it will not only place our city in direct connection with the coal regions of eastern Tennessee and southwestern Virginia but will give us a direct western line into the pork, flour and grain producing West. Will it not do that if connection is made at any point with the Seaboard Air Line?

By the way, right along this line, the Raleigh News and Observer of Saturday says:

"On Thursday was published an article dealing with proposed railroad development for the ensuing year in Eastern North Carolina, especially significant among which was seen to be the tapping of the Virginia coal fields and the furnishing therefrom a direct route to the sea at Norfolk and, possibly, Beaufort and Southport.

"The plans in the Western part of the State are of even greater magnitude and the roads which are piercing the mountains between North Carolina and Tennessee, besides opening up the great Tennessee coal fields and giving connection with the water at Wilmington and Charleston, will, when completed, have an effect of the greatest importance to the State at large in doing away with the Southern Railway's monopoly of Western freight business and thus removing the discrimination of high rates which now so greatly retards the doing of wholesale business in the State.

"Of the several roads destined to cross the mountains and thus connect Western North Carolina with the markets of the far West and Northwest directly and through independent and competitive lines, the most important is the South and Western. This road, originating at Bristol, Tennessee, has already been in large part constructed, having already been built to Spruce Pine, which is but a few miles from Marion. From Marion the purpose is to extend the road to Rutherfordton, where connection will be made with the Seaboard Air Line or to Lincolnton, where the same connection would be made, and from one of these places to Spartansburg, S. C. At Spartanburg, the new road would connect with the Atlantic Coast Line and obtain an almost direct shoot for its traffic to the sea at Charleston; while from the Seaboard connection at Rutherfordton or Lincolnton direct communication would be afforded with Wilmington, and Southport, upon the completion of the Raleigh and Southport Railroad already referred to. Besides opening up to development large and profitable tracts of mining and timber lands in Yancey, Mitchell, McDowell and Rutherford counties and putting these sections in close touch with the outside world, the great service that the South and Western will do the State will be to force a reduction in freights of all sorts to all points from the Western markets of the country."

Sunday's News and Observer also furnishes this interesting item:

"General Freight Agent Walk, of the Southern and Western Railroad, is in the city looking after the freight tariff of his road with the North Carolina Corporation Commission. Mr. Walk reports that great progress is now being made, and that 2,000 men are daily at work pushing along construction. This road is recognized as one with great possibilities stretching as it will from the coal fields to the westward of us with assured connections to the coast of North Carolina."

There may be some kind of railroad management that will render the South and Western useless as a competing line to the West, but under natural conditons the new road necessarily will give us a shorter and more direct haul from Cincinnati, Chicago, Minneapolis, and other western business centers so important to our commercial life.

THE DIVINE TRAGEDY, A. DRAMA of the Christ. By Peyton H. Hoge. Flemming H. Revell Company, Publishers, New York. Price net 75 cents.

This notable book has been recently published from the pen of Rev. Peyton H. Hoge, D. D. O devote Christian will take the book with some misgivings because it gives in dramatized form the last hours of Jesus on earth. But a careful reading will remove all doubts as to the value of the form and will show that in this way all the events incidents and conversations events, incidente and correlated so as to give clear and vivid understanding of them. This book in a new field, hitherto untrodden, is a strong and scholarly contribution to the literature of the life of Jesus. The author has brought in from Talmudic sources and devout scholarship a considerable addition to the sacred record, and such as to make the scenes more real and the record more readable. The whole is in blank verse; and this is well. The characters and their parts in the scenes are distinguished.

The scenic notes and the notes at the end of the book are great aides.

This is not a book to be read as a pastime, but as a valuable contribution the study of the last hours of Jesus and a distinct help to understand their meaning for us all. It needs only to be read with care and devotion to become a great help to the understanding of this part of the Gospels. The placing of the Psalms and the questions and answers used in keeping the Passover, and the conversations of the servants and officers and the musings of several important characters is well and skillfully done. The whole is a work of study, merit and value.

TWINKLINGS

—Customer—When was this chicken killed? Waiter—We don't furnish dates with chickens, sir. Only bread and butter.—Life.

—Little Elmer—Papa, what is a fire-eater—a man who is always wanting to fight? Prof. Broadhead—No, my son. A fire-eater is a man who would rather eat fire than fight.—Puck.

—He—There's no doubt about it, "a man is known by the company he keeps." She—Not always. If the average man were really known by his "company," she'd shake him right away.—Catholic Standard and Times.

—Shakespeare on Loans.—Professor—What does Shakespeake mean when he says: "Use every man after his desert?" Student—He means, if you want a man to do something for you, strike him just after he has had a good dinner.—Boston Transcript.

—First wireless operator: "What's the queer influence that muddles the dispatches to-night? As near as I can make out, it's some kind of creaking." Second wireless operator, at other end of line—"Oh, that? Why, that's Marconi rocking his new baby."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

CURRENT COMMENT

—We still hope that the Raleigh and Southport railroad will come through Bladen, but we are sometimes afraid it will leave Fayetteville for the coast over some of the other lines. Should it come through Bladen, it would open up some of the finest farming and in the State.—Clarkton Express.

—Mr. Henry C. Dockery, who retires to private life after years of service as marshal of the eastern district, carries with him the esteem and good will of a host of friends. He made an admirable official and leaves the office only because of one of the President's curious rules.—Thomasville "Charity and Children."

—The dispatches from Washington say that Blackburn stock is rising again and that he is going to have a big hand in dispensing patronage since he voted for the administration Statehood bill. Nothing wrong in that. Republicanism is made of graft and patronage, and Mr. Blackburn deserves his part.—Wilkesboro (N. C.) Chronicle.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Pinehurst, the Peerless, Easily and Cheaply Reached Via Seaboard Air Line from Wilmington, N. C.

The Seaboard Air Line is selling a special round trip ticket, Wilmington to Pinehurst, and return at $7.20, good to May 31st. By taking train at 3:00 P. M. you can reach Pinehurst same day. Pinehurst is famous for its magnificent Hotels, superb Golf course and numerous other attractions. Handsomely illustrated booklets and general information regarding this delightful Winter resort can be obtained from C. H. Gattis, T. P. A., Raleigh, or W. B. Rose, C. T. A., No. 105 Princess street, Wilmington, N. C. **

A Healing Gospel.

The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist Church, Belair, Ga., says of Electric Bitters: "It's a God-send to mankind. It cured me of lame back, stiff joints, and complete physical collapse. I was so weak it took me half an hour to walk a mile. Two bottles of Electric Bitters have made me so strong I have just walked three miles in 50 minutes and feel like walking three more. It's made a new man of me." Greatest remedy for weakness and all Stomach, Liver and Kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at all Druggists. Price 50c. **

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over 60 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind. **

Frightfully Burned.

Chas. W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electric furnace. He applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve with the usual result: "a quick and perfect cure." Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c. at Druggists. **

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Feb. 19, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, firm, 68c.

ROSIN—Market, firm, $3.75.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.80 per barrel for hard, $4.50 for dip, and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing, rosin nothing doing; tar firm, $1.60; crude turpentine firm at $2.30, $3.70.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	2
Rosin	92
Tar	93
Crude	15

Receipts same day last year—4 casks spirits turpentine, 30 barrels rosin, 38 barrels tar, 44 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady, 10 1-2c.

Same day last year—Firm, 7 1-4c.

Receipts—37 bales; same day, last year, 308 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime, 85c.; extra prime, 90c.; fancy 95c., per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 45c.; extra prime, 50c.; fancy, 55@60c.; Spanish 85@90c.

CORN—Firm: 62 1-2@65c. per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 15 to 16c. per pound; shoulders, 11 to 12. sides dull, 11 to 12.

EGGS—Dull, 15 to 16.

CHICKENS—Dull, Springs, 15c to 25c.; Grown, 30 to 35.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50c @55c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c., pound.

TURKEYS—Firm, 15c for live; dressed, 18 to 20c.

HIDES—Dry salted, 12c.; green, 8c per pound.

PORK—Dull, 6 to 7; hams, 8 to 10.

THE COTTON MARKETS

New York, Feb. 19.—The cotton market was generally easy today and closed at a net decline of 5 to 13 points. Sales were estimated at 300,000 bales. The opening was at a decline of 1 to 3 points in spite of rather better cables than expected, under selling by local bears who were encouraged to operate more aggressively on the short side than recently by the large estimates for tomorrow's receipts, easiness at New Orleans, and the apprehension of depression as a result of March notices early next week, which seemed to be frightening away general support. Trade interests seemed ready buyers of March against sales of later positions, and there was some scattering demand for investment, but local bears expected to reach heavy stop loss orders on a scale down and with the exception of 5 or 6 point rally in the early afternoon, the market was generally unsettled. The close was barely steady and at the low point of the session. Southern spot markets according to official reports were unchanged to 1 1-8c net lower. Exports are running heavier and today slightly exceeded the port receipts but interior receipts are running considerably over expectations and are attracting attention although the bulls claim that they merely reflect the big trade demand and a rapid exhaustion of unsold supplies.

Receipts at the ports today were 14,699 bales, against 20,704 last week and 14,928 last year. For the week (estimated) 120,000 bales, against 133,002 last week and 115,833 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 6,102 bales, against 5,178 last year, and at Houston 3,925 bales, against 2,824 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 15 points lower; middling uplands, 11.10; middling gulf, 11.35; no sales.

Futures opened steady and closed barely steady. Quotations ranged as follows: March, 10.65; May, 10.84; July, 10.97; August, 10.84; September, 10.46; October, 10.37; December, 10.41.

Closing—February, 10.48; March, 10.55; April, 10.64; May, 10.74; June, 10.78; July, 10.87; August, 10.76; September, 10.43; October, 10.33; November, 10.35; December, 10.38.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Dull, 10 3-4c.; net receipts, 6,217 bales.

New Orleans—Easy, 10 9-16c.; net ceipts, 6,102 bales.

Mobile—Nominal, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 230 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 733 bales.

Charleston—Steady, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 389 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 37 bales.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11c.; net receipts, 786 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 1-8c.

New York—Quiet, 11.10.

Boston—Quiet, 11.10; net receipts, 100 bales.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.35.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 105 bales

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 14,699 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 5,054 bales; Continent, 12,063 bales; Stock, 878,810 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 36,132 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 31,405 bales; France, 9,015 bales; Continent, 12,608 bales.

Total since September, 1st at all ports—Net, 6,035,016 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 2,051,947 bales; France, 565,957 bales; Continent, 1,693,315 bales; Japan, 53,047 bales; Mexico, 2,064 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Easy, 10 3-4c.; net receipts, 3,925 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 10 7-8c.; net receipts, 174 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 10 13-16c.; net receipts, 2,330 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 10 7-8c.; net receipts, 129 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 625 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 11 1-8c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, Feb. 19.—Cotton.—Spot in fair demand; prices unchanged; American middling, 5.88d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,400 American. Receipts 11,400 bales, all American. Futures opened easier and closed quiet; American middling G. O. C: February, 5.72d, February and March, 5.72d.; March and April, 5.73d.; April and May, 5.76d.; May and June, 5.78d.; June and July, 5.80d.; July and August, 5.82d.; August and September, 5.78d.; September and October, 5.64d.; October and November, 5.61d.; November and December, 5.59d.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL

New York, Feb. 19.—Money on call steady 3@5 per cent.; ruling rate, 4 to 4 1-4; closing bid 3; offered at 4. Time loans firm; sixty days and 90 days, 5 1-2@5 3-4 per cent.; six months, 5 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5 1-4 per cent.; sterling exchange easy with actual busines in bankers bills at 486.20@486.25 for demand and at 482.65@482.70 for sixty day bills.. Posted rates 483 1-2@484 and 487@487 1-2. Commercial bills, 482 3-4. Bar silver, 66 1-4. Mexican dollars, 51 1-2.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding, 2s reg	103 1-4
U. S. refunding, 2s cou.	103 1-4
U. S. 3s reg	102 3-4
U. S. 3s cou	102 3-4
U. S. old, 4s reg.	103 1-4
U. S. old, 4s cou.	103 1-4
U. S. New 4s reg.	129 1-4
U. S. New 4s cou	129 1-2
American Tobacco, 4s cert	79
American Tobacco, 5s cert	116 1-4
Atlantic oCast Line, 5s cert	101 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio	104 1-2
L. & N. Unified, 4s	103 1-2
Seaboard Air Line, off'd	91
Southern Railway, 5s	118
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	98 7-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	111 3-8
American Sugar Refining	140 7-8
American Tobacco, pfd., cert	104 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	160
Baltimore & Ohio	110 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd.	97
Chesapeake & Ohio	56 7-8
Louisville & Nashville	147 1-2
Manhattan L.	158 1-2
New York Central	149
Norfolk & Western	87 1-2
Norfolk & Western, pfd	90
People's Gas	98 1-2
Reading	136 1-8
Reading, 1st pfd	94 1-4
Reading, 2nd pfd	99
Southern Pacific	65 5-8
Southern Pacific, pfd	117 3-4
Southern Railway	38 1-2
Southern Railway, pfd	99 1-4
Tenn., Coal & Iron	156 3-8
U. S. Steel	41 5-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	106 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	47 3-8
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	115
S. A. L., com	—
S. A. L., com	—
Standard Oil	687
Western Union	93 1-4

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Active covering by shorts caused a firm tone today in the local wheat market, final quotations on May delivery being up 3-8. Corn was up 1-2@5-8. Oats showed a gain of 3-8@1-2. Provisions were 2 1-2@5c. lower to 5 higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	82½	83⅛	82¼	83⅛
July	81⅜	82⅛	81½	82⅛
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	42⅜	43⅜	42⅜	43⅜
July	43¼	43⅜	43¼	43⅜
Sept	43⅞	44⅛	43⅞	44⅛
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	29½	30	29⅝	30
July	29	29⅜	29	29⅜
Sept.	27¾	28	27¾	28
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	15.82½	15.90	15.65	15.85
July	15.37½	15.55	15.20	15.50
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	7.85	7.85	7.80	7.85
July	7.92½	7.95	7.90	7.95
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	8.27½	8.30	8.17½	8.25
July	8.30	8.32½	8.22½	8.32½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, weak; No. 2 spring what, 81 @84; No. 3 spring wheat, 76 1-2@80 1-4; No. 2 red, 83 1-4@84 5-8; No. 2 corn, 39 3-4@40; No. 2 yellow, 39 3-4@40; No. 2 oats, 29 3-4; No. 2 white, 30 1-2@32; No. 3 while, 29 3-4 @30 1-2; No. 2 rye, 63; Mess pork, per bbl., 15.55@15.60; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.75; Short ribs sides (loose), 8.00@8.10; Short clear sides (boxed), 8.50 @8.55; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.28.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, Feb. 19.—Flour dull and a shade lower. Minnesota patents, 4.40@4.70; bakers, 3.50@4.85; Winter straights, 3.80@3.95.

WHEAT—Steady; No. 2 red, 82 3-4 elevator. Options 1-4 to 3-8c net higher. May, 88 7-8; July, 87 5-8; September, 85 3-4.

OATS—Steady, 34 3-4.

BEEF—Steady.

CUT MEATS—Firm.

LARD—Steady. Western steamed, 7.85@8.05. Refined steady.

PORK—Firm; family, 16.50@17.00; short clear, 15.00@17.50.

TALLOW—Easy.

RICE—Quiet.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8 1-4; mild steady; Cordova 9 3-4@12 3-4. Futures 10@15 points lower.

SUGAR—Raw quiet; fair refining 2 7-8; centrifugal 3 11-32@3 3-8; molasses sugar, 2 5-8; refined quiet.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 16@28; State dairy, 15@26.

CHEESE—Firm; state, small and large, colored and white, September fancy, 14 1-4.

EGGS—Weak; nearby selected, 20@21; Southerns, 12@15.

PEANUTS—Steady; fancy handpicked, 4 1-2@4 3-4; other domestic, 2 3-4@5.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 18c.

POTATOES—Steady; Bermda second crop per barrel, 3.50@6.00; southern, 2@4; Maine and other eastern per bag, 1.75@2.50; State and western, 1.50 @1.85; foreign, 1.50@1.75; Sweets, steady; Jersey per barrel, 1.23@2.75.

CABBAGES—Irregular; Florida per crate, 1.50@2.50; Danish seed per ton, $12@$22; small domestic, $13@$16.

COTTON SEED OIL—Barely steady; offerings of crude were freer. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 23 1-2@24; Prime summer yellow, 30 3-4@31; prime white, 33 1-2@34 1-2; prime winter yellow, 33 1-2@34 1-2.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Feb. 19.—Turpentine firm 72 to 73; rosin strong 4.35.

Savannah, Feb. 19.—Turpentine firm 69; sales 157; receipts 87; shipments, 295.

Rosin firm; sales 164; receipts 876; shipments 813; stock 64,187. Quote: A. B. C. D. E. F. and G., 4.00; H., 4.15; I., 4.55; K., 5.20; M., 5.45; N. 5.90; W. G., 6.10; W. W., 6.20.

Charleston, S. C., Feb 19.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

DRYGOODS MARKET.

New York, Feb. 19.—The attitude of general buyers in the dry goods market today was conservative and operations were of a temporary character. The influence of export trading is still apparent with the result that many prices are slightly firmer though irregularities are said to exist.

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I am bringing out another new magazine that you will come pretty close to liking. I wouldn't be surprised if it hit you harder than anything in the shape of a magazine you have ever seen. There isn't much style to it, but it has the stuff in it that you and everybody else will want to read. It is called

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List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Barques.

Durban (Nor.), 735 tons, Ugland, Heide &Co.

Schooners.

John S. Deering, 397 tons, Gamage, C. D. Mafitt.

Jno. R. Fell, 281 tons, Loveland, C. D. Mafitt.

Lizzie H. Partrick, 412 tons, Henderson, C. D. Mafitt.

Joel Cook, 319 tons, Walker, C. D. Mafitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Feb. 19, 1906.

W. & W. Railroad—7 bales cotton, 7 barrels tar.

W. C. & A. Railroad—13 bales cotton, 10 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—67 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—17 bales cotton.

Steamer Alice—2 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels rosin, 15 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer City of Fayetteville—76 barrels tar.

Total—37 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 92 barrels rosin, 93 barrels tar, 15 barrels crude turpentine.

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OF THE CONDITION OF

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

At Clos of Business January 26, 1906

RESOURCES

LOANS	$318,694 98
OVERDRAFTS	720 89
UNITED STATES BONDS AND PREMIUM	207,500 00
FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	4,563 82
CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS	366,021 56
TOTAL	$897,501 25

LIABILITIES

CAPITAL	$200,000 00
*SURPLUS	73,540 00
UNDIVIDED PROFITS, NET,	3,384 14
CIRCULATION	200,000 00
DEPOSITS	420,597 11
TOTAL	$897,501 25

*Began business September 18, 1905, with capital fully paid and a subscription of $100,000 00 to surplus, payable in monthly instalments. Gain in resources since Nov. 9th, $201,467.01.

CHAS. N. EVANS, Cashier.

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For the next thirty days we are going to sell Remington and Baker Guns at a reduction in price. Calle and see us at once.

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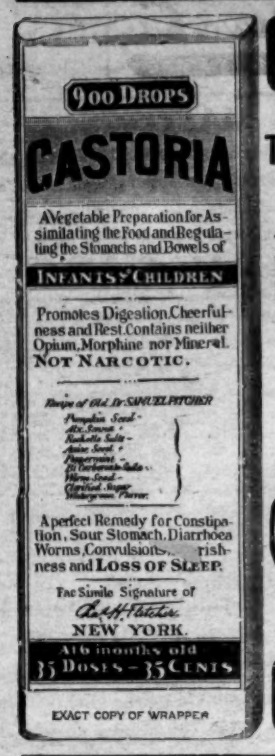
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10-4 All-Wool Scarlet Blankets, was $4.00, now $3.25

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11-4 White Blankets, sold for $5.00, now $3.75

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Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, all pure linen, worth $1.50 doz., to go at $1.00

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—At Concordd on Saturday Mr. J. Wesley Sides, a white man about 51 years of age, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a pistol.

—Former Sheriff J. M. Smith, of Richmond county, has bought the Rockingham Anglo-Saxon and will convert it from a Democratic into a Republican paper.

—At Rockingham on Friday morning Walter Payne Everett, eight year old son of Mr. W. N. Everett, was burned to death. His clothing caught fire while he was dressing in front of a fire place.

—In a head on collision between two trains on the Southern Railway, between Swannanoa and Black mountains, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conductor Hough and Brakeman Simpson were killed. Several others were injured. The accident occurred near Asheville.

—Wilson special to Raleigh News and Observer: The published statement that the Ware-Kramer Tobacco Company had sold out does this splendid company and injustice. The Ware-Kramer Tobacco Company, instead of selling out, has increased its capital stock from $25,000 to $75,000 and has behind it sufficient capital to guarantee that it will continue to manufacture "White Roll cigarettes," manufactured by an absolutely independent company.

—Kinston Free Press: Decidedly one of the most important transactions to the commercial interests of the city to take place for some time, was when the committee on permanent improvements from the Lenoir Commercial Club secured the site for a steamboat wharf and warehouse, at the old Clyde Line landing, and immediate steps will be taken to establish a regular boat line to foster and encourage the local river trade. The transfer has been made and the deed of the property is in the hands of the committee. The committee will at once begin a canvass of the business men to procure a small subscription from each to build the wharf and warehouse and it is needless to say of how much value the project is to the business men, hence each and all of them are interested in the project.

—John Holden, convicted, of wife murder at the October, 1905, term of Jackson county Superior Court and sentenced to hang, escaped from the jail at Webster on Friday night. Holden was sentenced to hang December 6th, of last year. The cause was appealed and he was held at Webster awaiting the higher court's decision. Holden was convicted of one of the most brutal crimes ever committed in this State. He and his son, Will Holden, returned to their home one night last August. The father and husband was under the influence of whiskey. At the home the father told the son to "knock her head off," referring to his wife. The remark was overheard. Much profanity was used. The son, at the trial, testified that he became fearful for his mother's welfare and left to secure assistance. When the assistance arrived, Mrs. Holdren was dead. Both the father and the son were indicted for the murder. The son was acquitted, the father convicted. Will Holden, the son, was last Saturday taken to the asylum at Monganton. He is a raving maniac.

OLD AGE.

Depends Not Upon Years, But Upon Vital Force.

In Wilmington lately there has been a good deal of discussion in regard to old people. Some at fifty years call themselves old, and really appear so, while others at seventy years seem active, vigorous and young.

It is not years, but it is loss of vital force that makes a person old. Weakened digestion, thin blood and poor circulation soon start functional powers and vitality on the wane, and then the symptoms of old age quickly appear.

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RUINOUS FIRE IN RED SPRINGS.

Business District in Ashes—Eighteen Stores, Two Residences Destroyed.

(Charlotte Observer.)

Red Springs, Feb. 18.—Practically the entire business district of Red Springs was destroyed by fire to-day. Eighteen stores and two dwellings were consumed, involving a loss of $80,000, with an approximate insurance of $40,000. The fire originated from a defective flue in a restaurant in the rear of one of the stores.

—The following were burned out: J. A. Huggins, 5 stores, dwelling and merchandise; Parlor Grocery Company; Miss Katie Brown, millinery; J. B. McColman, dry goods; Ed. D. McLean, merchandise; postoffice, Red Springs Drug Company; Garrett & McNeil Grocery, L. M. Cook, groceries and furniture; W. J. Council, dry goods; T. J. Bostick, dry goods; A. D. Black, Son & Company, mill supplies; Cope & Turner, Merchandise and market, J. N. Hadley, dry goods; Frank Jessup, groceries; B. R. Lovlin, groceries; Red Springs Mercantile Co., millinery; Archie McKinnon, insurance; C. H. Hucklebree, barber shop; J. M. Pope, office; Knights of Pythias and Masonic Hall; Jno. G. Brown, dwelling and furniture.

No vacant stores are available and nearly all of those burned out will go on of business until new buildings can be erected.

The North Carolina Military Academy and Southern Presbyterian College, located here, were untouched by the fire.

Owing to the fact that the town is without fire-fighting facilities, little or nothing could be done to check the progress of the flames.

Luckiest Man in Arkansas.

"I'm the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley, of Bruno, "since the restoration of my wife's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding from the lungs; and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which I know from experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with first bottle and twelve bottles completed the cure." Cures the worst coughs and colds or money refunded. At all druggists. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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For further information 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.

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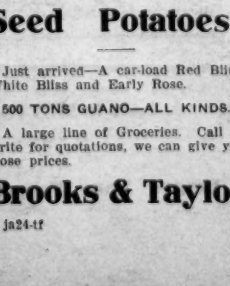

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Seed Potatoes!

Just arrived—A car-load Red Bliss, White Bliss and Early Rose.

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A large line of Groceries. Call or write for quotations, we can give you close prices.

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Dress Ginghams all Kinds.	You Are Welcome at Our Store.
Piques and Percales	We Lead Others Follow.
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40-inch White Lawns of all Kinds.	Umbrellas For Everybody.
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Ask For What You Don't See.	Men's Pants and Suits.
Call For What You Want.	Men's Underwear at Zero Prices.

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	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 25 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 35 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 42 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 35 a m	5 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 58 a m	12 01 p m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 22 p m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk		8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Peteraburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 34 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	11 00 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 06 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily via Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 45 p m	6 50 p m
Ar. Florence	9 35 a m	7 40 p m	9 55 a m
Ar. Charleston	1 20 p m	11 40 p m	6 50 a m
Ar. Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 05 a m
Ar. Jacksville		8 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar. Tampa		6 55 p m	11 00 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.		East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar.	8 00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 20 p m	Ar.	4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv.	3 40 p m

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(Daily.)

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6.00 A. M.	6.30 A. M.
	Leave Beach.
7.00 A. M.	8.15 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	10.45 A. M.
11.30 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
1.30 P. M.	2.15 P. M.
3.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.
6.00 P. M.	6.45 P. M.
7.30 P. M.	9.15 P. M.

Saturdays—Extra Cars.

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10.00 p. m.	5.15 p.m.
	10.45 p. m.

Sunday cars every half hour from 1:00 to 6:00 P. M.

Beginning Tuesday the 3:00 o'clock suburban car will leave the Beach on its return trip at 5:15 P. M., instead of at 4:45 P. M., thus giving one-half hour longer to enjoy the ocean breeze.

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WILMINGTON. N. C.

Tuesday Morning, Feb. 20.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Wilmington, N. C., under the act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

MR. AND MRS. LONGWORTH EN ROUTE TO FLORIDA

Pretty Incident While Awaiting Train at Alexandria—Little Girl Gets Couple's Autographs.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth started on their honeymoon from Alexandria, Va., this morning at 11:18 o'clock, over the Southern Railway. They will go to Tampa, and from there take a boat for Havana, which point they expect to reach Thursday morning. They will make the trip to Tampa, in the private car Elysian, which was awaiting them in the yards of the Southern at Alexandria about half a mile from the station.

The bride and bridegroom made the trip from "Friendship" near Washington, this morning in an open automomile, accompanied by Mrs. Longworth's maid and a chauffeur. The machine went at an easy gait and they arrived at Spring Garden, which is the Southern's station in the suburbs of Alexandria, at 10:30 o'clock. Mr. Longworth got out of the machine, lit a cigar and spent sometime chatting with his wife, who remained in the automobile. Mrs. Longsworth wore a tan colored broadcloth suit, with handsome sable furs, and a tan hat trimmed with pink plumes. After they had been there for about half an hour, a little girl, the daughter of one of the railway employes, asked the bride if she would give her an autograph. "Certainly I will; where is your pencil?" replied Mrs. Longworth.

Pencil and paper were quickly produced and Mrs. Longworth wrote: "Alice Lee Longworth."

"Now get his," she said, pointing to her husband. Beneath the name of his wife, Mr. Longworth wrote his signature and the date.

The little girl thanked them both and went away happy.

She spread the news to a few people at the station as to the identity of the couple, but they were not bothered by a curious crowd, as there were not more than a dozen people in and about the station. Shortly after 11 o'clock Thomas Stone, the chief usher, of the White House, arrived from Washington and received a cordial greeting from Mrs. Longworth. He brought a note from the President which she quickly opened and read, and calling for a pencil wrote a reply as she sat in the automobile. The baggage had been taken from Washington but several pieces were brought along in the automobile.

Five minutes before the train arrived Mr. Longworth helped his wife out of the machine and they walked to the siding. Mrs. Longworth graciously acknowledged the respectful greeting of the employes about the station and as the train pulled in, hurried down to the last car, which was a private one, into which she was assisted by Mr. Longworth and Mr. Stone. Mr. Longworth would not let the servants carry his suit case or that of Mrs. Longworth and had his hands full, walking the length of the train with two suits cases, a cane and an umbrella.

Whirling South.

Lynchburg, Va., Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth passed through Lynchburg on the Jacksonville Limited on the Southern this afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. A crowd numbering about eight hundred persons gathered at the station, but no one had a glimpse of the couple. Mr. Longworth was on the rear platform of the Pullman when the train stopped in the yard, but he immediately entered the coach. A telegram was delivered him here.

Danville, Va., Feb. 19.—Congressman and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth passed through this city at about 5:40 this afternoon on Southern train No. 29 for Jacksonville, Florida. Few knew of the arrival and there was no demonstration. A stop of only a few minutes was made here.

Greensboro, N. C., Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth spent several minutes in this city this evening. A number of people had gathered at the depot to greet them. There was no demonstration.

Charlotte, N. C., Feb. 19.—A small freight wreck which occurred at China Grove, thirty miles north of Charlotte, delayed the train to which the special car bearing Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth is attached. The train was due here at 9:45 P. M. but is not expected until 12:30 A. M.

HORRILE CRIME IN LOUISIANA.

School Girl Murdered While Fighting for Her Honor.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Shereveport, La., Feb. 19.—While returning home from school, Margaret Lear, aged 15 years, was attacked in the public road near her home two miles west of this city this afternoon by a negro who attempted to criminally assault her. The young girl struggled with the man and screamed several times. The negro then drew his pistol and pressing its muzzle against the girl's neck, fired. The girl fell unconscious to the ground and her assailant fled to the woods. Negroes who witnessed the act immediately gave alarm Miss Lear was dying when neighbors reached the scene and died within a few minutes after she was removed to her home.

The negro was apprehended by a posse led by Sheriff Ward, two hours after the murder, in a cabin not far from the scene of the crime. He gave his name as Charles Coleman, and has been employed in the shops of the Kansas City Southern Railway in this city. He was at once lodged in jail, before the crime had been generally known. As soon as it became known that the black brute was in custody, a crowd began to gather around the jail, and at 9 o'clock tonight more than a thousand men have congregated with the avowed intention of lynching the negro.

TO INVESTIGATE RAILROADS.

Resolution to Be Reported to Congress To-day.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission of alleged monopoly of oil and coal by combinations of railways and their corporations is authorized by a compromise resolution agreed upon tonight by a sub-committee of House committee on interstate and foreign commerce and agree on a measure which will be reported to the entire House committee interstate and foreign commerce tomorrow. A combination of the Tillman, Gillespie and Campbell resolutions was effected.

LOCK CANAL IS DECISION

President Roosevelt Transmits to Congress Reports of Board Consulting Engineers

MEETS NEEDS OF NAVIGATION

Mr. Roosevelt Concurs in Recommendation—Greatest Traffic Canal in World is American Lock Canal —More Economical.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, Feb. 19.—President Roosevelt today transmitted to Congress the report of the board of consulting engineers on the Panama Canal, together with the letter of Secretary Taft, the report of the Isthmian Canal Commission and a letter by Chief Engineer Stevens. The letter of the President says:

"The Secretary of War recomemnds a lock canal pursuant to the recommendation of the minority of the board of consulting engineers and of the majority of the canal commission. After careful study of the papers submitted and full and exhaustive consideration of the whole subject, I concur in this recommendation.

"It will be noticed that the American engineers on the consulting board and on the commission by a more than two to one majority favor the lock canal, whereas the foreign engineers are a unit against it. I think this partly to be explained by the fact that the great traffic canal of the world is the Suez Canal, a sea-level canal, whereas the great traffic canal of the new world is the Sault Ste. Marie canal, a lock canal. Although the latter, the Soo, is closed to navigation during the Winter months, it carries annually three times the traffic of the Suez canal. In my judgment the very able argument of the majority of the board of consulting engineers is vitiated by their failure to pay proper heed to the lessons taught by the construction and operation of the Soo canal. I call especial attention to the fact that the chief engineer who will be mainly responsible for the success of this mighty engineering feat, and who has therefore a peculiar personal interest in judging aright, is emphatically and earnestly in favor of the lock canal project and against the sea-level project. A careful study of the reports seems to establish a strong probability that the fololwing are the facts: The sea-level canal would be slightly less exposed to damage in the event of war; the running expenses, apart from the heavy cost of interest on the amount employed to build it, would be less; and for small ships the time of transit would probably be less. On the other hand the lock canal at a level of eighty feet or thereabouts would not cost much more than half as much to build and could be built in about half the time, while there would be very much less risk connected with building it, and for large ships the transit would be quicker; while, taking into account the interest on the amount saved in building, the actual cost of maintanence would be less. After being built, it would be easier to enlarge the lock canal than the sea-level canal.

"The law now on our statute books seems to contemplate a lock canal. In my judgment a lock canal as herein recommended is advisable. If the Congress directs that a sea-level canal be constructed its direction will, of course, be carried out. Otherwise, the canal will be built substantially on the plan for a lock canal outlined in the accompanying papers, such changes being made of course, as may be found actually necessary, including possibly, the change recommended by the Secretary of War as to the site of the dam on the Pacific side.

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Secretary Taft transmitted the commission's report and the accompanying documents to the President, summarizing closely the conclusion of the majority and the minorty which respectively favored a sea-level and a lock canal. The Secretary criticizes various features of the sea-level project, saying of the cost:

"The estimated cost is $247,021,000 for the sea-level canal and $139,705,200 for the 85 foot level canal, a difference of $107,000,000. The Isthmian Canal Commission and the chief engineer regard the estimate for the sea level canal as too low by at least $25,000,000."

GREENE AND GAYNOR TRIAL.

Juror Patten Again Sick and Apprehension is Felt.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 19.—No session of the Federal court was held to-day on account of the illness of Samuel R. Patten, the juror in the Greene and Gaynor case, who was ill three weeks ago. This time his indisposition was too serious to admit of his leaving his room. The hope was held out, however, that he might be able to attend court to-morrow and adjournment until then was taken.

In declaring the recess until to-morrow, Judge Speer made a brief address to the jurors, saying the case was a very severe test of their patriotism and manhood, "but we are in the line of duty and we cannot escape it," he concluded. "You will have the satisfaction of knowing when you get through with this case, and you can tell your children and grand-children you have tried the case with the most tremendous record ever submitted to a United State court from the beginning of the government down to the present time."

It was stated tto-night that Juror Patten was better and it was believed that he would be able to appear for he trial to-morrow. It was thought that he had recovered from his malady of three weeks ago, and that there would be no recurrence. Its re-appearance last night was sudden. Now that it has been shown to be not unlikely to recur at any time, the gravest fears for the conduct of the case to a conclusion was manifested.

McCURDY AND OTHERS SUED.

President of Mutual Takes Action Before He Sailed.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

New York, Feb. 19.—Charles A. Peabody, president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, today authorized the statement that civil suits have been begun in the Supreme Court against Richard A. McCurdy, former president of the Mutual Life; Robert H. McCurdy, former general manager; Col. Charles H. Raymond and Louis A. Thebaud, constituting the firm of Charles A. Raymond & Co., late general meropolitan agents of the Mutual. John A. Wise, former governor of Virginia, is counsel for Raymond and Thebaud.

Richard A. McCurdy sailed for Europe yesterday.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT MAKES CONCESSIONS

Consents that Hepburn Railway Rate Bill Shall Give Railways Right of Appeal.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Following a conference between Attorney General Moody and Speaker Cannon and Senators Clapp and Dolliver, the Attorney General and Chairman Knapp and Commissioner Prouty, of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, held a conference with President Roosevelt to-day at which railroad rate legislation was discussed thoroughly. The effort was to so shape the provisions in the Hepburn bill regarding appeal to the courts as to make it certain that the bill is constitutional, and yet, so far as there is power by law to do so, to limit the appeal to what is regarded as constitutional necessary.

The President is understood to believe that Messrs. Moody, Knapp and Prouty have worked out a satisfactory provision that is better than that in the Hepburn bill or in the original Inter-State Commerce Commission's bill, the only two bills hitherto laid before Congress with which the President has on that point felt at all satisfied.

President Charles S. Mellen, of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, talked with the President on rate legislation to-day, paying two visits to the White House for that purpose. Senator Knox also talked with the President. To a representative of the Associate Press, Mr. Mellen said that his own position regarding railroad rate legislation was reasonably well known. He said:

"To my mind there can be no doubt that the people of the country are back of Mr. Roosevelt in his demand that rate legislation, which really means something, should be enacted. My belief has been all along, that such legislation ought to be put on the statute books. It would be the better not only for the people but for the railroads Personally, I am inclined to the opinion that the pending Hepburn bill is not just waht ought to be enacted into law. In principle, perhaps, it is very well, but I am satisfied that an ox team could be driven through it at several points."

WARM WIRELETS.

The Senate yesterday confirmed the following nominations of postmasters in North Carolina—B. G. Bradley, Gastonia; E. L. Ware, King's Mountain; C. W. Teague, West Durham.

The United States navy tug Potomac which arrived in Las Palmas, Canary Islands yesterday, reported that she left the dry dock Dewey 500 miles to the ewstward of Las Palmas, all well.

The operators of the nine cotton and woolen mills at Spray, N. C., which are among the largest factories in the South, have agreed upon the ten hour a day system, which will go into effect March 5th.

A special to the Asheville Citizen yesterday from Andrews, N. C., says Joseph Queen and Mitchell Howard, were killed by the explosion of a keg powder on Snow Bird Valley railroad, near Asheville.

Harbormaster James McBride, James McBride, Jr., his son, and William V. Peak, a clerk in the office of the water works department were arrested in Savannah yesterday for allegeal violations of the naturalization laws. They were placed under bond of $2,000 each.

In Washington yesterday the House committee on claims decided to make a favorable report on a claim of the family of Samuel Lee for $10,000. Lee was a negro elected to the forty-sixth Congress from North Carolina, but was prevented being sworn in by filibustering. He is now dead and his heirs will be paid the two years salary in case the bill passes.

Colombian newspapers received in Panama yesterday contain a dispatch from President Reyes stating that on February 10, he was shot at eight times by paid assassins while he was crossing the Arjobispo bridge in Bogota with his daughter. None of the bullets struck the President or his daughter. A large reward is offered for the arrest of the would-be assassins.

RURAL CARRIERS ORGANIZING.

Meet at Burgaw Thursday—New Hanover Officers Invited.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C., Feb. 19.—The attention of the rural letter carriers, of Pender county, is called to a meeting to be held at Burgaw, Thursday, February 22nd, for the purpose of perfecting a county organization and electing delegates to the State Convention to be held at Kinston, July 4th next.

There has been through preconcerted action on the part of carriers good done to the body. President Lindsay has had an interview with Postmaster General Cortelyou, who has promised to recommend to the Congressional Committees an appropriation for horse feed and two weeks holiday with pay. "Seek and you shall find, Knock and it shall be opened unto you, Ask and you shall receive."

Our brethren of New Hanover are respectfully invited to participate and join our organization.

VIRGINIA WOMAN KILLS MAN.

Victim Was Drinking and She Shot Him.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Danville, Va., 19.—Henry C. Yeatts, a young married man, was shot and fatally wounded at a late hour Sunday night by Mrs. Charlie Dove, who resides at Natal, this county, about ten miles from Franklin Junction. It is alleged that Yeatts was drinking and went to the home of the Dove woman, sending her husband off for some whiskey. During his absence the woman alleges that Yeatts had made himself obstreperous and she forced him to leave. Upon Yeatt's attempt to reenter, she opened fire with a shot gun upon him, the contents of the weapon going through the panel of the door and lodging in his breast. He died in a few minutes lates.

FAVOR STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

Kansas Oil Producers Charge Discrimination Against Railroads.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered an investigation of the rates and practices of railroad carriers engaged in transporting oil from Kansas and Indian Teritory to interstate destinations, the hearing to be held at Kansas City, Mo., March 12, 1906. The investigation is based upon a petition of the Kansas Oil Producers' Association embracing a number of charges. The charges filed by the Kansas association allege that freight rates are unreasonable, that they operate to restrict traffic and to the advantage of companies affiliated with the Standard Oil Company in the matter of providing tank cars and storage facilities.

ELECTION BOODLE IS PROHIBITED

Senator Tillman Introduces Bill To Punish Contributors to Campaign Fund

HE CHARGES CORRUPTION

Petitions by Thousands of California and Colorado Women Against Mormon Senator—House Prohibits Gambling in Territories.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, Feb. 19.—In presenting petitions against Senator Reed Smoot, signed by thousands of women of California and Colorado, Messrs. Perkins and Patterson took occasion today to define their positions on the protests against the Utah Senator. The former said that religious views should not be considered in passing upon the qualifications of a Senator and that his honesty and the attributes that command confidence and respect should be considered above all else. Mr. Patterson thought there were great constitutional questions to be considered and said that these would govern his vote. The petitions had requested these Senators to make some remarks in presenting the prayers.

Discussion of the pure food bill occupied practically all of the day. The speakers were Mr. Heyburn, who has charge of the bill, Senator Foraker, who presented a number of amendments desired by liquor interests, and Mr. Money in favor of his substitute. A vote will be taken Wednesday.

In introducing a bill to prohibit the making of money contributions in furtherance of elections, Mr. Tillman reviewed the fact that he had offered two resolutions to investigate corporate contributions for campaign purposes and said that one relating to banks had been replied to by the Secretary of the Treasury and the other is resting with the committee on privileges and elections. Mr. Tillman said he had an understanding with Mr. Burrows, that a meeting would be called when he had anything to offer that would shed light on corrupt contributions. "I believe I am now in position to give such information," concluded Mr. Tillman, "and would be glad to go before the committee and present my facts whenever a committee meeting is called."

Mr. Burrows replied that he would call a meeting at the convenience of Mr. Tillman and that the committee on privileges and elections would take pleasure in hearing him.

The prohibition in Mr. Tillman's bill extends to any national bank or corporation engaged in interstate or foreign commerce, or corporations organized by authority of any laws of Congress. Punitive measures are provided for violations.

The Senate adjourned until tomorrow.

Gambling in Territories.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Three bills were passed under suspension of rules, requiring a two-thirds vote, in the House to-day.

The first makes gambling unlawful in the territories of the United States, including Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Alaska. The bill was directed particularly at Arizona and New Mexico, where it was stated gambling was licensed.

The second provided additional work for the census bureau by requiring statistics to be taken on insurance, fisheries, electrical industries, savings banks and crimes.

The third appropriates $50,000 for the purchase of 300 acres of coal lands on the island of Batam, one of the Philippine archipelago. On the latter bill, a debate of two hours was had. The others were debated 40 minutes each.

An error by Mr. Dalzell, Pennsylvania), to set consideration of the bill incorporating the Lake Erie and Ohio Ship Canal Company immediately, after the passage of the army appropriation bill, failed.

Mr. Longworth, of Ohio, was paired on the question with Mr. Legare, of South Carolina. Hereafter he will be paired with Mr. Aiken, of South Carolina.

A bill was passed changing the name "Southwestern" division of the District court of Georgia to "Albany."

The House adjourned until tomorrow, when the army appropriation bill will be taken up.

SHOCKING MURDER IN ROANOKE.

Aged Man Chopped to Death in His Bedroom.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Roanoke Va., Feb. 19.—Ex-Sheriff John B. Traynham, of Roanoke city, was murdered in his bedroom in this city Sunday night, his slayer crushing his skull and almost severed the head with an axe which he carried away. The body was found to-day lying across the bed in a pool of blood. Traynham was not known to have an enemy, and the tragedy is so far a mystery, the police have no clue. It is believed he got out of bed during the night to answer a knock at his door and that as the assassin entered the room he dealt Traynham a blow on the head, crushing the skull. The body fell across the bed and several more blows were dealt, one cutting the throat and another splitting the chin and going through the neck. Other blows landed on the skull. Traynham's hand's were cut in an effort he had been made to ward off the murderous blows. The intruder washed his hands and left the blood stained water in the room, after which he escaped. A gold watch and some silver money and currency were not disturbed and nothing was taken from the room. Traynham was an ex-Confederate veteran and was 69 years old. Dr. Traynham, of Pittsburg, Texas, is among his children.

Broke Into Store.

Some time Saturday night or early Sunday morning the store of Mr. S. W. Sanders, on North Fourth street, was broken open by a thief whose intentions appear merely to have been to get at the cash register, which was near the front window. A pane of glass near the register was broken out and an effort was made to get at the money till through the opening. The effort, however, was not successful and nothing was stolen.

Portner's Bock Beer is Out.

Mr. Otto Banck, agent for the Robert Portner Brewing Company, announces in this issue that a fresh car load of the celebrated Bock beer has just been received and that it can be obtained at all places and is as fine as can be brewed. The Portner beer is justly famed in this section and the Bock beer is of the same superior quality.

The President yesterday sent the Senate the nominations of Maj. Wm. P. Duval, to be brigadier general.

HIS BEST INVESTMENT WAS KEELEY TREATMENT

Graduate of Greensboro Institute Tells How He Was Cured of Alcoholism—Cure Complete.

The Keeley Institute, Greensboro, N. C.:

—Thirteen years ago I went to the Keeley Institute at Greensboro, N. C., and it saved my life. I took the treatment there, and may God bless the Keeley is my prayer forever. I will say that it cost $132 for the four week's treatment, and that it is the best investment of money that I have ever made in my life; for I never have wanted whiskey or beer from that day to this. I hope this letter may be the means of saving some poor drunkard like I was. When I went to Greensboro thirteen years ago I was drinking one-half gallon of whiskey every day and night, and I can say that I have never tasted it from the seventh day after I entered the Institute to this time. My cure I consider as complete.

W. D. JONES.

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 31, 1904.

Send names and addresses of those who may be benefitted to the Keeley Institute, Greensboro, N. C.,

NEGRO TRAINMAN MURDERED.

Another Killing in Raleigh—Railroad Wreck—Enterprises Chartered.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 19.—Alex. Clark, a colored trainman between Richmond and Raleigh on the Seaboard Air Line was fatally shot here this evening by Ben Williams, colored, a fireman on a Seaboard yard engine at Johnston Street station. Williams went to his room at the station and took a revolver from a trunk, saying to several standing about that he had been cheated out of five dollars and proposed to kill a man if he hung for it. Scarcely five minutes before he called Clark out of a house at 441 Salisbury street, and sent a bullet crashing through his head. Ball entered just above the left year, and came out in front right. the negro's brains and blood was spattered about the porch where the shooting occurred. Williams has not been captured.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 19.—A mixed train on the Raleigh and Southport Railroad, bound for Raleigh, overturned at a reverse curve this morning, about four miles from Raleigh. The engine and one freight car remained on the track, and three other cars and the passenger coach turned over. There were ten passengers, but no one was hurt. One woman and baby and four other passengers were brought to Raleigh on the engine tender. The damage to rolling stock was not very considerable.

The State has chartered the Bosnight Lumber Company, of Ward's Mill, Onslow county, authorized capital $125,000 and subscribed $12,000 by North Carolina and New Jersey capitalists; the Washington Drug Company, Washington, N. C., wholesale and retail, $100,000, subscribed $5,800, W. C. Rodman and twenty others; the Graham Canning Company, Graham, fruit and vegetables, W. S. Vestal and others, $15,000. A certificate of dissolution has been granted to the Monroe Hardware Company, Monroe, D. E. Allen, of Charlotte and others, stockholders.

REV. CARAHER AT LUMBERTON.

Young Speaker Made Fine Impression in Robeson County.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Feb. 19.—The Rev. Father Caraher, of Wilmington, addressed a large audience of non-Catholics here yesterday, his theme being "What the Catholic Church Teaches." The young speaker left a very favorable impression upon his hearers and has been invited to speak to them again.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS.

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Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them? Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use, because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work.

If you have any, even one, of the symptoms of kidney diseases, cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in. Read this Wilmington testimony:

B. R. King, the well-known policeman, residing at 706 Wooster street, says: "I had terrible pains in my back which worked around to my side and in my stomach, so bad at times that it laid me up. I used internal medicines and they did not help me. I put on plasters and rubbed with liniment, and none of them helped me at all. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills recommended I got a box of them at Bellamy's drug store. The next day after commencing to use them I noticed relief. Since using two boxes of them I have not had an ache or a pain in my back. It is with pleasure that I add my name to those endorsing the claims made for this remedy."

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made by John R. Turrentine, Jr. and wife, Annie H. Turrentine, to the Wilmington Homestead & Loan Association, on the 29th of August, 1905, and duly registered in Book 45, pages 164-166 of the Records of the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder at Public Auction for cash, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH OF MARCH, 1906,

at the Court House door of New Hanover County, in Wilmington, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate in said City, beginning at a point in the Eastern line of Fifth Street 99 feet South of the Southern line of Walnut Street, thence East parallel with Walnut Street, 165 feet; thence South parallel with Fifth street, 33 feet; thence West parallel with Walnut streets, 165 feet to the Eastern line of Fifth street; thence North with said line 33 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot No. 2, Block 208.

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